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HOUSE RESOLUTION No. _____

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A HOUSE RESOLUTION recognizing the Canada -
United States Trade and Investment Relationship.

*Whereas, Canada and Indiana enjoy a strong economic
relationship;*

*Whereas, 162,286 Indiana jobs depend on trade with
Canada, and 91 Canadian-owned businesses employ 11,951
people at 428 Indiana locations;*

*Whereas, 53 Indiana businesses have 97 operations in
Canada and employ 10,312 people in Indiana;*

*Whereas, In 2010 bilateral trade between Canada and
Indiana totaled \$17 billion, and Indiana exports to Canada*

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amounted to \$10.39 billion;

Whereas, Canadian investments in Indiana were \$388.11 million;

Whereas, In 2010 Indiana imported over \$554.17 million in crude and \$58.25 million in refined petroleum products from Canada;

Whereas, 92 automotive companies and plants export to Canada and employ 31,078 people in Indiana;

Whereas, Canadians made more than 213,200 visits to Indiana during 2010, spending more than \$102 million in our state, and 84,850 air passengers travel between Canada and Indiana each year;

Whereas, Hoosiers and Canadians share a strong common ancestry, with 13,686 Hoosiers being born in Canada or having Canadian ancestry; and

Whereas, Canada and Indiana share a deep commitment to create a world of peace and security through maintaining bilateral trade and investment relationships: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives wishes to
- 2 recognize the benefits for both the United States and Indiana resulting
- 3 from the Canada - United States Trade and Investment Relationship.

